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SUBJECT: MESSAGE REGARDING UNSC RESOLUTION ON DPRK MISSILES
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Classified By: Political Minister Counselor W. Michael Meserve. Reason : 1.4 (b)(d).

(C) Embassy Tokyo Political Officer conveyed reftel talking points on July 12 to MOFA UN Policy Division Director Shigeki Takizaki and to MOFA Northeast Asia Division Director Naoki Ito, explaining that the paper was being shared with other UN Security Council members. We also noted that the Ambassador would be discussing the DPRK missile issue later that day with Chief Cabinet Secretary Shinzo Abe (septel). Ito and Takizaki thanked us for the information, but had no substantive comment.

SCHIEFFER